The Senate adjourned to January 6th, 1880. — The Senate Exodus committee is composed of Voorhees, Vance, Pendleton, Windom and Blaine. - Speaker of House appointed committee on Inter-Oceanic Canal. - Thomas Neill, coal dealer, Peoria, Ill., failed for \$300,000. - Gen. Gough's brigade has taken refuge at Fort Jugdulluk; he is threatened by thousands of the Ghilzors, and has but six days' rations. - A fruitless attempt to assassinate Prince Dolgorouki, Governor of Moscow, was made. - Mr. James MacLean, a Scotch chemist, has succeeded in making diamonds. - Miss Mary A. Murray, lately a clerk in the Baltimore postoffice, has brought suit against Postmaster Typer for assault, laying her damages at \$20,000. - The Democratic State Central Committee of Illinois held a meeting to arrange the plan of a S:ate campaign. - New York stock market closed irregular and lower yesterday; Erie 411. N. Y. Central 1271. - Gen. Roberts reports that his force is strongly entrenched and able to hold their own against the Afghans. - The widows and orphans of the British Embassy massacred at Cabul have been pensioned by the govern ment. - A cotton warehouse was destroyed by fire at New York yesterday; loss \$25,000. - A colored train hand of the Richmond & Danville railroad was arrested at Charlotte for robbing the mails. -Three men were drowned by the upsetting of a boat in the Kentucky river near Gratze, Ky. - The supposed murder of a man and his wife, who have been missing from their home, creates excitement at Quincy, Ill. - One man was killed and two dangerously wounded by an accident while racing horses near Des Moines, Io as. - Frank Baker, a negro, was hanged at Sussex C. H., Va., yesterday, for murder; Drew Hollaway was hung in Georgia for the murder of Vinson Brown. - Cincinnati merchants are making arrange ments for the entertainment of Southern business men, to be present at the opening of the Southern Railroad in January next. - New York markets: Money 5@7 per cent: cotton dull at 12 9-16@12 11-16 cts; Southern flour dull and unchanged; wheat fairly active and 1@2c better at close; corn dull and unchanged; spirits turpentine qu'et

Gen. Grant was to have received table of solid gold in Philadelphia. Did he get it?

Ben Hill is going to speak in favor of Bayard's resolution repealing the legal tender feature.

will meet at Chicago, and it is "extremely probable" that he will be able to do so.

The Philadelphia Times and Press each displayed very commendable enterprise in writing up the grand Grant hippodrome. The Press parcicularly distinguished itself. On Thursday it contained what it called "The Grant issue of the Press."

acknowledgment. Verb. sap. The Charlotte Democrat contains two such omissions.

things if the Republican National Convention met there. They agreed to pay all the expenses of the Convention except the personal expenses of members, and that the hotels would not raise their prices. They also agreed to fit up at an expense of \$35,000 the great Exposition Building under the supervision of the National Executive Committee. This we learn from the Richmond State's spe-

Representative Martin, of the First District, a Republican, introduced a bill in the House, which has for its object the advancement of American interests on the ocean by establishing a steamship service between the principal ports of the United States and the principal ports of the world abroad. The text of the bill is very long. We do not know whether it contains any subsidy features or not, as we have not read it. The Washington Post likes it, and says Mr. Martin is on the right track, as it is a movement for foreign trade and American shipping. It regards it as a "practical step towards an American navy and merchant marine." The Baltimore Sun says it is a hoge subsidy scheme.

HR-MORNING STAR

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There is not the slightest doubt

that the British in Afghanistan are in

peril. Gen. Roberts's army is both

shows the feeling in London. It is a

"The news from Afghanistan grows hour y more serious. It is feared the tragedy of

1842 may be repeated and the entire British

force now in Afghanistan be annihilated.

Private advices from Calcutta give a view

of the situation far more alarming than the

authorities have permitted to be made pub-

ic. The Duke of Cambridge 1s to-day in

consultation with the members of the ad-

ministration staff at the Horse Guards, but

it is felt that nothing can be immediately

done to relieve Gen. Roberts and his army

from the extremely dangerous position in which they are placed. The effect of the

calamities in Afghanistan upon the political

Mairs of this country is apt to be disastrous

Senator Ransom's speech on the

negro exodus made a fine impression

evidently, if we may credit the re

ports from Washington. We have

only room for a portion of the Rich

mond Dispatah's account, which ap-

pears in its Washington letter of the

"The Senate to-day considered the reso-

lution of Mr. Voorhees to investigate the

negro-exodus from North Carolina to In-

diana, and it gave Senator Hansom an op-

portunity to pay a splendid tribute to the

white people of the State of North Carolina

for the liberality and kindness with which

they had treated the colored people. There

was not a bitter word in his speech, nor a sen-

timent that was not American and national.

He was listened to with profound attention

by Senators of both parties, and when he

alluded to the people of the North he called

them my Northern fellow-countrymen. Al-

though one of the most infigential Senators,

General Ransom rarely speaks; but when

he does, his utterances have great weight

with the Benate. He told Mr. Windom,

who has advocated the exodus of the ne-

with schools for their education, and

churches, in which they worship. She has

given them asylums for their deaf and

dumb, and is erecting one for their insane."

The best informed Republicans in

Maine admit that Gov. Garcelon and

Council have obeyed the letter of the

law most rigidly. They do not see

what can be done. A dispatch from

Portland, dated the 17th, to the

"In the eastern counties, where the Stal-wart Republican element is strongest, there

is talk of capturing the State House by

force at the beginning of the year or of set-

ting up a rival Legislature to 'Dr. Garce-lon's legislature.' * * The Democrats are exultant over the application of the

rigid constitutional principles to the official

canvass of the vote. Gov. Garcelon and

his Council have certainly followed the let-

ter of the law in their action, whatever un-

fairness that action may have wrought.

The fact seems to be that the chronic

looseness with which the election laws

have been observed during Republican

supremacy in the State has given Gov. Garcelon and his astute adviser, Hon. Eben

F. Pillsbury, a chance to reverse the Re-

publican majority in the Legislature simply

by obeying these requirements of the constitution for the first time in many years.'

We learn from the Charlotte Dem-

ocrat that the real estate owned by

the colored people of Mecklenburg

was valued at \$29,062 in the fall.

Since then other property has been

listed, which swells the amount to

between \$35,000 and \$40,000. W

Spirits Turpentine.

- The Charlotte Democrat thinks

- The Oxford Free Lance has

completed its third volume. A capital pa-

per that is well sustained. Long may it

- New Berne Democrat: Mr

John Patterson, one of our principal and

most substantial business men, was on yes-

terday morning prostrated with a stroke of

- Tarboro Southerner: We are

nformed that white shad are being caught

in Pamlico river and are being shipped to Northern markets. This is unusually early

Charlotte Observer: Col. J.
 Palmer, late President of the Charlotte,

- Charlotte Democrat: Mr. Jos.

P. Caldwell and Mr. J. L. Chambers, for a

for the catching of shad.

the earthquake was only a meteoric explo-

even reach three million.

Washington Post, says:

groes, that North Carolina is dotted over

18th. The correspondent says:

to the Conservatives."

"There were two reasons—myself and the Potomac river. I had reached that age that I knew that an American soldier could not ford a river a mile wide and eighteen feet deep.' - Goldsboro Mail: Gov. Jarvis

isolated and surrounded. There is much alarm and undisguised anxiety thinks the building for the Colored Insane Asylum will be, when completed, the best building for the cost of construction that in England for its safety. In 1842 an entire army was destroyed, and the State has, and expressed himself to us as being highly pleased with the arrangement. — The M. E. Church at Selma, when completed, will be by far the most handsome church edifice ever built in Johngrave fears as to the result now are felt. A relieving torce has already started, but it is menaced on every ston county. — A car load of colored people are expected to leave Rocky Mount for Indiana soon, mostly from the Edge-combe side of the railway. — A bill has hand by a general uprising of the natives. We copy the following, which passed the House of Representatives remeving the disabilities of Mr. Gabrie Holmes Hill. He had been in the U.S. private cable dispatch received in New York, dated the 17th. It says: artillery service, resigned in 1861, and joined the Confederate army.

- Raleigh Observer: The Raleigh Academy of Medicine last evening elected the following officers for the ensuing year: President, Dr. Eugene Grissom; Treasurer, Dr. Peter E. Hines; Secretary, Dr. Hubert Haywood. - Dr. T. H. Pritchard returned yesterday from Sampson county, where he has been in the interest of Wake Forest College. Tuesday he delivered an address before the Salem High School, 12 miles from Clinton. A large crowd was present. — Before Dossey Battle, of the Tarboro Southerner, left for "Mud Cu!" with Gov. Jarvis, he took out a \$3,000 accident policy. He is nothing if not prudent. - A singular accident occurred Tuesday night, in rear of the market. A street lamp was being lighted, when a loud explosion was heard and the ground at the base of the post was turn up. It sounded just like a shell had bursted in the ground. The iron post was nearly torn up. There are two reasons for the occurrence, one being that oil had filled the pipe and the other that gas in the main had become ignited.

- Oxford Torchlight: Ten prisoners are now in the county jail, a larger number than has been in the past three years. Larceny, forgery, and house-burning are the principal offences. - A nogro baby was fished up out of a well in Henderson a few days ago. Suspicion was aroused that something was "rotten in Denmark," when baby garments were drawn up with the water. The perpetrators of this fiendish act are suspected. —— Quick and steady is the march of improvement. The result of the carpenter's hammer is seen in every portion of Oxford. The two mammoth warehouses, with all the modern facilities, will be ready for the auctioneer by the night of December 1st the torch was applied to three oat and two hay stacks, situated within ten feet of the spot where he lost, in like manner, twelve months ago last April, his entire crop of long forage.

- The Charlotte Observer of the 18th contains a long account of the killing of a noted negro desperado named Bob Pharr, at that place, by policeman Hill. Pharr had murdered his wife and another person. He was found in the bed-room of small house. He refused to surrender, said he would die first, tried twice to shoot Mr. John Orr, when he was killed by a shot in the head fired by policeman Hill. He died isstantly. There were four men trying to capture him. The Observer says: Pharr has been long known to the police as a most daring and reckless criminal. Their first encounter with him occurred about two months ago, when an attempt was made to arrest him in a negro house in the First Ward. On this occasion three members of the force surrounded the house. Discovering their presence, he leaped from the window, firing several shots from his pistol as he went, and, after being shot at himself three or four times by members of the force, and a long race, he escaped. A few months prior to this occurrence he escaped from Lincoln jail and liberated four other prisoners, by shooting Sheriff Robin-son with the pistol which he snatched from the Sheriff's hands

on his fish-trap in Haw river an eel that was 36 inches long, eight inches in circum-ferences and weighed 3 pounds. — Mr. Burwell Ellington, of this county, was found dead in a turkey "blind," on the 16th inst. He was quite a noted huntsman, and had gone that morning to a "blind" that he had gone that morning to a "blind" that he had prepared for wild turkeys, and it is supported that while watching there he died from heart-disease. — The Baltimore drummer, Jacob Weil, who was so severely injured by the cars at Sanford last winter, brought suit for damages against the rail-road company. The suit was tried in the Federal Court at Raleigh, and was decided against the plaintiff, as it was through his own pegligence that he received the injury. —We very much regret to hear that Mr. should not be surprised if the real estate owned by the colored people of North Carolina would aggregate of North Carolina would aggregate of the real owned by the colored people of North Carolina would aggregate of North Carolina would aggrega dent. He was hauling a load of wood in over two million dollars. It may his wagon, when one of his logs fell off, and one end catching in the wheel caused the other end to fly up and violently strike

few days. -Tarboro Southerner: Mr. Wm. Westbrook, of Grantham's township, J. Westersok, of Grantham's township, caught an eagle in a steel trap a few days age. —Mr. Job Warrick, an old citizen of Grantham's township, died on the 13th inst., in the 82d year of his age. —Dr. McDonald, of Washington, this State, has a three year old colt named H. W. Bescher, that trots a mile in two minutes and fifty seconds. Among the exodusters who left here Tuesday, was an old blind darkey, named Peter Kennedy, from Lenoir county.

Mr. W. O. Sutton, who farms in Duplin, near the Wayne line, last year, made 16 bales of cotton on as many acres. The present year he did even better, having increased his crop to 18 bales off of 17 acres. He never buys manipulated guanes, but composts heavily with proper chemicals and me-made manures. -& Washington Railroad and Lumber Company, composed of foreign capitalists, hold title to about 40,000 acres of land, and we Columbia & Augusta Railroad, leaves Columbia to-day for New York, accompanied by his wife, and will sail for Europe about the 28th inst., on a two years' pleasure trip. — The Circuit Court, with Judges Bond and Dick presiding, will be are pleased to learn are doing much to develope and build up the resources in that section. They have built a railroad twentytwo miles in length, from Washington to Jamesville, on the Roanoke, and they have also a handsome steamer, the Oriole, plying between Plymouth and Hamilton, and con-

P. Caldwell and Mr. J. L. Chambers, for a long time assistants in the editorial department of the Charlotte Observer, have made arrangements to purchase the Statesville Landmark, and after the first of January will engage in the publication of that paper. They are talented and experienced writers, and Mr. Caldwell is also a practical printer. - Greensboro Patriot: D. F. Cald-

Manufacturing Company's mills, at Deep River, were unloaded at our depot. A large lot of new machinery has been purchased for the Noami Wise Manufacturing Company, but it has not yet been brought on. - Oliver Causey, of High

Point, his just purchased a supply of machinery for his factory which has recently been completed at that place. — J. M. Diffee and others are forming a joint stock company to start a factory at Diffee's Ford, two and a half miles above Cedar Falls. - A new factory has been erected at Haw River by Messrs. T. & E. B. Holt, and

NEW ADVERTISEMENTS.

L. VOLLERS-Good things. P. O. Box 296-House wanted.

Munson-Clothing headquarters.

are ballasting Market street where it is

were so crowded. - Rev. Dr. Patterson, of this city,

ing, and at Burgaw the same night. - The only engagements for the Opera House in January are on the 17th and 22nd Joe Jefferson in Rip Van Winkle,

six feet eleven inches in his boots. It was queer to hear him remark, "Hand me up a

Colored Children Abandoned by their

terday bound out to Mr. C. C. Ketchum, of Harnett Township, and now it is hoped that some one will come forward and take the other, before the J. of P. carries out

The New Minister. Rev. T. Page Ricaud, who was ap pointed by Conference to minister in holy things to the congregation of the Fifth Street M. E. Church during the coming year, has arrived, and will fill the pulpit of that church on Sunday, morning and evening. In losing Rev. Mr. Hall, who was so popular with them, our Fifth Street friends are to be congratulated in having secured s

We understand that the new minister's family will not arrive until about the 1st of

Mayor's Court.

The only case before the Mayor's Court yesterday morning was that of the irrepressible tramp, Tom Kelley, who was again arraigned for vagrancy, and who was sent to jail for thirty days for non-payment of costs in the same. Kelley begged hard for mercy, but was reminded by His Honor of the fact of his so flagrantly, violating his plighted word when dealt leniently with before. He was committed to the Sheriff and locked up, but will finally be turned over to the Superintendent of the House of Correction.

A Narrow Becape.

While a seaman belonging on the schoo ner Jennie F. Willey, lying at the wharf of the Wilmington & Weldon Railroad, was attempting to leave the vessel, yesterday afternoon, about 2 o'clock, he accidentally slipped and fell overboard. In the fall he was struck by a piece of scantling, which partially stunned him, and he would no doubt have been drowned but for the efforts of the master of the vessel and Capt. W. J. Penton, who succeeded in rescuing him from his perilous position between the wharf and the schooner.

Yesterday, by invitation, we witnessed a test of the new ice machine invented by Dr. J. E. Winants. The engine was started and s current of cold air pumped into a box at-

tached to the machine, and in a very short space of time the temperature was reduced from about sixty to twenty four degrees, and the Doctor informed us that it had been reduced, in a former trial, when more time was devoted to the experiment, to ten degrees below zero. In a half hour from the starting of the engine a very thick frost had formed on the pipe leading into the box, and a cake of ice had also formed in the bottom of the box. The question of the capacity of the machine to reduce the temperature to a freezing point being thus settled beyond dispute, it seems that there can be no room for doubt that ice can be successfully manufactured by this process. Several of our prominent citizens were present during the progress

of the experiment. Mailtary Matters.

We learn from Gen. M. P. Taylor that the commissioned officers of the First Regiment, N. C. S. G., will meet at Newbern, those of the Second Regiment at Wilmington, those of the Fourth Battalion (colored) at Raleigh, and those of the Fifth Battalion (colored) at Fayetteville, on the 13th of January next, for the purpose of electing field officers for the ensuing year.

The Excursionists. During the day yesterday the streets and stores of Wilmington were thronged with the excursionists who arrived here Thursday night. They appeared to be much pleased with their visit, and left on their homeward trip yesterday afternoon loaded down with bundles and packages for themselves and those they left behind them.

Masonic. At the last regular meeting of St. John's Lodge, F. & A. M, No. 1, the following officers were elected for the ensuing term: W. M -W. R. Kenan.

S. W .- W. A. Williams. J. W .- R. Greenberg. Secretary-J. C. Munds. Treasurer-F. G. Robinson.

THE MAILS. The mails close and arrive at the City Post Office as follows:

Northern through mails..... Northern through and way and routes supplied there-from, including A. & N. C.

Railroad, at.:.... Southern mails for all points 5:30 A. M South, daily..8:00 A. M. and 7:45 P. M. Western mails (C. C. R'y) daily rence and Charleston 8:00 A. M. ayetteville, and offices on Cape

Fear River, Tuesdays and Fridays..... 1:00 P M ayetteville, via Lumberton, daily, except Sundays.... 6:00 P. M Onslow C. H. and intermediate offices every Friday .. 6:00 A M

Chapel, Tuesdays and Fridays at...... 12:00 P. M OPEN FOR DELIVERY. Northern through mails..... Northern through and way

Southern mails. 7:30 A. M. Carolina Central Railroad. 10:35 A. M. Stamp Office open from 8 A. M. to 12 M., and from 2 to 5:30 P.M. Money order and Register Department open same as stamp

Stamps for sale at general delivery when stamp office is closed. Mails collected from street boxes every day at 4.00 P. M.

Of course take your customary annua trip to the country, but don't forget Dr. Bull's Baby Syrup, that indispensable help in every emergency. Costs only 25 cents a

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Chew Jackson's Best Sweet Navy Tobacco. ELECTRIO BELTS.—A sure cure for nervous debility, premature decay, exhaustion, etc. The only reliable cure. Circulars malled free. Address J. K. REEVES, 43 Chatham St., N.Y.

A LADY'S WISH,—"Oh, how I do wish my skin was as clear and soft as yours," said a lady to her friend. "You can easily make it so," answered the friend. "How?" inquired the first lady. "By using Hop Bitters, that makes pure rich blood and blooming health. It did it for me, as you observe." Read of it.—Cairo Bulletin.

BOOK HINDERY.—THE CENTRE STAR Book Bind ery does all kinds of Binding and Ruling in a work manike manner, and at reasonable prices. Mer chants and others needing Receipt Books, or other work, may rely on promptness in the execution of their orders.

FINE ENGLISH GUNS.—The attention of sports men is invited to the advertisement of Mesars, J. & W. Tolley, manufacturers of fine breech-loading guns, Birmingham, England. Their guns are made to order according to specifications and measurements furnished, thus easuring the right crook, length of stock. &c. HIGH AUTHORITY .- Dr. W. B. Scott, Presi-

dent of the College of Physicians, Montreal, writes:
"I have recommended Colden's Liebig's Liquid Extract of Beef and Tonic and Invigorator as the best preparation used for Debility, Indigestion, Dyspepsia, Fever, Ague, and Loss of Appetite."
GREEN & FLANKER, Agents, Wilmington.

MRS. WINSLOW'S SOOTHING STRUP.—Rev. Sylvanus Cobb thus writes in the "Boston Christian Freeman":—We would by no means recommend any kind of medicine which we did not know to be good—particularly for infants. But of Mrs. Winslow's Soothing Syrup we can speak from knowledge; in our own family it has preved a blessing indeed, by giving an infant troubled with colic pains, quiet sleep, and its parents unbroken rest at night. Mest parents can appreciate these blessings. Here is an article which works to perfection, and which is harmless; for the sleep which it affords the infant is perfectly natural, and the little cherub awakes as "bright as a button." And during the process of teething its value is incalculable. We have frequently heard mothers say they would not be without it from the birth of the child till it had injahed with the teething siege, on any consideration whatever. Sold by all druggists. 25 cents a bottle.

WHOLE NO. 3,854 RIVER AND MARINE.

- The barque Arnon arrived at Hull. from this port, yesterday.

- The barque Maria Sophia, from this port, arrived at Glasgow on the 18th inst. Quarterly Meetings

FOR THE WILMINGTON DISTRICT OF THE METHOD IST E., CHURCH, SOUTH-FIRST ROUND, 1880. IST E., CHURCH, SOUTH—FIRST ROUND, 1880.

Coharie Mission, at Wesley Chapel, Jan'y 1;
Cokesbury, at Cokesbury, Jan'y 3, 4;
Bladen, at Bethlehem, Jan'y 10, 11;
Blizabeth, at Edizabethtown, Jan'y 17, 18;
Whiteville, at Whiteville, Jan'y 24, 25;
Waccamaw Mission, at Betheada, Jan'y 28;
Brunawick, at Sharon, Jan'y 31, Feb'y 1;
Smithville Station, Feb'y 3, 4;
Wiimington, at Firth Street, Feb'y 7, 8;
Wiimington, at Front Street, Feb'y 14, 15;
Topsail, at Prospect, Feb'y 25;
Onslow, at Swansboro, Feb'y 28, 29;
Duplin, at Magnolia, March 6, 7;
Clinton, at Andrews' Chapel, March 13, 14.

A full attendance of the District Stewards is requested at the Parsonage of the Front St. Church, in Wilmington, on the 13th of February, at 10 a, m
L. S. Burkhead, Presiding Elder.

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And then take a chance at the "BELLE OF WILMINGTON," decided by the majority of the Ladies
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German Sausage,

MOKED EELS, IMP. ANCHOVIES, & and & Kegs; H. D. C. B. Herrings; Limburger, German and Swiss Cheese; Martin's Gilt Edge Butter and Cheese; Apple and Peach Butter; Mince Meat, Hecker's Self-kising Flour, Parsnips, a full line of Cakes and Crackers, Wood and Willow Ware, &c. Prices low. L. VOLLERS, dec 20-tf 26 and 28 South Frent street.

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H. HORNER, A.M. R. W. WINSTON, A. B., (Univ. of N. C.) The Spring Session will begin January 19th, 1880.

Board and Tuition per session of five months \$100.

For circulars, address
dec 198t nac fr sn we J. C. HORNER.

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GRAIN, OF ALL KINDS,
MEAL, "Best in the city,"
HAY, choice Eastern,
FEED, of all kinds,
And a MULE or so, and an ENGINE and BOILER
or two, and some either things, but space ferbids,
dec 19 tf PRESTON CUMMING & CO.

Open Every Night INTIL 10 O'CLOCK

DURING THE HOLIDAYS.

Ladies invited to call and examine our LARGE STOCK. New Goods continually opening.

GILES & MURCHISON,

dec 19 tf 28 and 40 N. Front st.

GEORGE MYERS 7, 9, 11, 13, 16 muth Front |St.

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CLOAKS,
FANCY DRESS GOODS,
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FANCY RIBBONS, LADIES' NECK WEAR, &c., &c., &c., &c. BROWN & RODDICK,

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Happy New Year. Brown & Roddick

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The Philadelphia Press, Republican organ, says that Grant will receive the nomination if Don Cameron can manipulate those men who

If an editorial in the STAR, long or short, is worth copying, it deserves credit for the same. Every day we see our work afloat on the sea of journalism, and without a name or

The Chicago people promised great

WILMINGTON, N. C., SATURDAY, DECEMBER 20, 1879.

- Pittsboro Record: Mr. C. W Bynum informs us that he recently caught

Mr. Harrington on the neck and shoulders, from the effects of which blow he died in

necting with cars at Jamesville.

Yesterday, two car loads of the twenty-five looms to be placed in the Randolph For the South Atlantic States, falling followed by rising barometer, warmer southeast winds, except cooler northeast on the North Carolina coast, partly cloudy weather and light coast rains. Another Test of the Ice Machine.

the machinery for it has passed through here to its destination.

THE CITY

T. H. Howey-Dancing numbs. C. A. PRICE-Fruits, candies, &c. M. M. KATZ-Christmas and holiday

goods. See 4th page. - We notice that the authorities

- Market and Front streets reminded one of Broadway yesterday, they

will preach at Pike Church, Rocky Point, Pender county, to morrow (Sunday) morn-

taking the former, and Buffalo Bill the lat- One of the colored excursionists on our streets, yesterday, is said to measure

chaw of tobacker!"

About three months ago a colored woman first of January. — Mr. Robert R. Burwell, Townesville, has again been the object in this city found two little colored chilken refuge for the night. As they could give no intelligent account of themselves, the oldest being only about five years of age and the youngest three, she took them in with the intention of caring for them until their parents could be discovered. She subsequently ascertained, however, that their parents, who were named Lee, had deserted them, the mother having some time before left for the south, and the father leaving at a later period for some point in the country, where he was to work on a farm, the children in the meantime being abandoned to the cold charities of the world. Their kind benefactor continued to take care of the little "waifs" until two or three days ago, when they were turned over to the county, since which time our Judge of Probate, S. VanAmringe, Esq., has been trying to bind them out to some good person who would promise to take care of them and raise them. The oldest one, who says his name is York Price Lee, was yes-

his threat of sending him to Indiana to be-

minister of such ability and experience as Rev. Mr. Ricaud, who served the same church twenty-five years ago.